

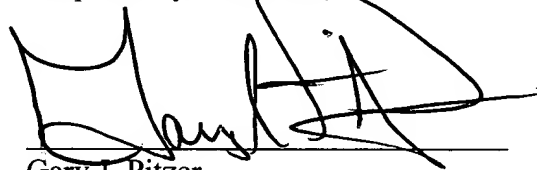
REMARKS

By this amendment, claims 3-7 are being cancelled. Applicant respectfully requests that the amendment be entered for purposes of appeal. Applicant respectfully submits that cancellation of such claims does not affect the scope of any other pending claim in the proceedings. It is believed that cancellation of claims 3-7 helps to simplify issues on appeal.

If the Board of the Examiner has any questions or if the Applicant or its representative can be of any assistance in connection with this paper, the Board and the Examiner are invited and encouraged to contact the undersigned at the number identified below.

Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees for this amendment to our Deposit Account No. 20-0090

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Gary J. Pitzer', is written over a horizontal line.

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